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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: COUNTERVAILING DUTY SCOPE RULING ON RAW FLEXIBLE MAGNETS FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (C-570-923)

1. ON 01/11/2011, IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST BY MEDICAL ACTION INDUSTRIES INC. (MAI), COMMERCE ISSUED A FINAL SCOPE DETERMINATION THAT TWO MAGNET PRODUCTS IMPORTED BY MAI ARE WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE COUNTERVAILING DUTY ORDER ON RAW FLEXIBLE MAGNETS FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (C-570-923).

A. MAGNET WITH A MARK: A FLEXIBLE MAGNET WITH A RECTANGULAR CROSS-SECTION MEASURING 1.75 INCHES IN LENGTH, 0.5 INCHES IN WIDTH, AND 0.1 INCHES IN THICKNESS. THIS PRODUCT HAS A SMALL MARK PAINTED ON ONE SIDE OF THE MAGNET.

B. MAGNET STRIP WITH A GROOVE: A FLEXIBLE MAGNET WITH A RECTANGULAR CROSS-SECTION MEASURING 3.5 INCHES IN LENGTH, 0.25 INCHES IN WIDTH, AND 0.1 INCHES IN THICKNESS. THIS PRODUCT HAS A GROOVE IMPRINTED ON ONE SIDE OF THE MAGNET.

2. COMMERCE FOUND THESE PRODUCTS TO BE WITHIN THE SCOPE OF THE ORDER BECAUSE THE IMPORTED PRODUCTS CONSIST WHOLLY OF FLEXIBLE MAGNET MATERIAL AND ARE FLEXIBLE AND MAGNETIZABLE. FURTHER, THE PERFORMANCE OF THE MAGNETS HAS NOT BEEN ALTERED BY MACHINING THEM INTO THEIR CURRENT DIMENSIONS OR BY PRINTING MARKS OR GROOVES ON THEM. PERFORMANCE CHARACTERISTICS INCLUDE THE ABILITY TO BE FLEXED, TO HOLD FERROUS OBJECTS MAGNETICALLY, AND THE POTENTIAL TO BE PROCESSED FURTHER.

3. CONTINUE TO SUSPEND LIQUIDATION OF ENTRIES OF RAW FLEXIBLE MAGNETS FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA, INCLUDING MAI'S MAGNET WITH A MARK AND MAGNET STRIP WITH A GROOVE, WHICH ARE SUBJECT TO THE COUNTERVAILING DUTY ORDER ON RAW FLEXIBLE MAGNETS FROM THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA.

4. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CBP OFFICERS, THE IMPORTING PUBLIC OR INTERESTED PARTIES, PLEASE CONTACT DAVINA HASHMI OR RON TRENTAM AT THE OFFICE OF AD/CVD OPERATIONS, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, AT (202) 482-0984 OR (202) 482-3577 RESPECTIVELY (GENERATED BY O5:MR).

5. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

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## Company Details

\*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party